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TUBERCULOSIS VACCINE

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the pending Office Action mailed October 5, 2004, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully requested.

The claims are presented on pages 2-4.

Claims 1, 3 and 16 are amended.

Claims 2, 13, 15 and 19-27 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer.

Remarks begin on page 5.